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Hawk Springs – Elmer Schaffer, 89, passed away peacefully in his sleep at home on December 22, 2022. A memorial and celebration of life service will be held on January 21, 2023 at 1:00 at the Hawk Spring Community building.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be given to the Hawk Springs Fire Department or Hawk Springs Church. Arrangements are under the direction of the Colyer Funeral Home and condolences may be sent to www.colyerfuneralhome.com.

Elmer was born on April 24, 1933 in Bayard, Nebraska to Davit and Olga Schaffer. He was the sixth of ten children.

He married Naomi Shannon on February 7, 1960. Elmer and Naomi moved to their farm near Hawk Springs in 1967. They had 5 children. Elmer worked hard on the farm and enjoyed fishing, hunting, drawing, and wood burning in his spare time. He was a member of the Hawk Springs Fire Department for 38 years.

Elmer is survived by his wife, Naomi; son Michael (Lori) of Torrington, daughter Lisa of Nevada, son Dale of Arizona, daughter Deena of Hawk Springs, and son Bruce of Cheyenne; five grandchildren Chris Hill (Miranda) of Torrington, Heath Hill (Chae'Lee) of Torrington, Brittany Cearns (Tyler) of Torrington, Brooke Peterson of Torrington, and Taylor Schaffer of Cheyenne; three great-grandchildren; four sisters Elsie Greathouse of Indiana, Esther

(Jerry) Haumont of Nebraska, Gloria (Henry) Reichert of Torrington, and Jeannie (Ronald) DeCora of Nebraska, and several nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents, four brothers, and one sister.

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

JAN **21**. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (MT)

Hawk Springs Community Building
435 Powers St
Hawk Springs, WY 82217
(308) 641-9578

Tribute Wall

SS

“ Sorry to hear of Elmer's passing. Sending our thoughts and prayers.
Lynn and Sarah Stoll

Sarah Stoll - February 07, 2023 at 08:37 PM



“ Fiery Lily and Rose was purchased for the family
of Elmer Schaffer.



January 20, 2023 at 01:54 PM

LP

“ Sorry to hear about your Dad Michael, sincere condolences.

Lynn Powers - January 19, 2023 at 01:33 PM

ME

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with the family and Noami. We will miss Uncle Elmer and we were blessed for the time we had with him. I am sorry I cannot attend his service as David and I will be out of the country. Hugs to everyone and sending our love and condolences. Melissa Evans & David

Melissa Evans - January 06, 2023 at 04:05 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Elmer Schaffer.*



January 03, 2023 at 01:11 PM



“ *Condolences to Naomi's and Elmer's family. We are sorry for the loss but we know he is in a better place now. May you all find peace and are able to recall many great memories. Vic and Tina Vance*

Victor Vance - January 02, 2023 at 07:12 PM



“ *Naomi and Family,
Elmer will be missed! He had a quick smile and a welcoming handshake and was always kind to people! Our thoughts and prayers are with you!
Kent and Lynette Hunter*

Kent and Lynette Hunter - January 02, 2023 at 04:40 PM



“ *You and your family are in our thoughts and prayers. We have lots of fond memories of Uncle Elmer and he will be missed.*

Teresa Canjar - January 02, 2023 at 12:58 PM

AD

“ *Arnie, Teresa & Family, Melissa & David purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Elmer Schaffer.*



Arnie, Teresa & Family, Melissa & David - January 02, 2023 at 12:51 PM

SG

“ *Naomi and family,
My deepest condolences for your loss.
I remember Elmer as a hard worker and a very happy man. I have many good memories of spending time at your home when I was visiting my grandparents. Elmer was always welcoming and kind.*

Sonya Gupta - December 30, 2022 at 01:34 PM

TC

“ *Teresa Canjar lit a candle in memory of Elmer Schaffer*



Teresa Canjar - December 28, 2022 at 05:27 PM

WA

“ *Our Prayers for the family. We so enjoyed Elmer and our visits with him. Our memories are so special !! Love you all. Delbert &Wanda*

Wanda - December 28, 2022 at 12:21 PM

KP

“ *He will always be my Elmo. I have so many happy memories of him. He always had a smile and never misses an opportunity to say hi.*

Kimberly and John Putnam

Kimberly D Putnam - December 27, 2022 at 08:20 PM

CR

So sorry to hear of your loss. My prayers for the family.

Cheryl Riggs - December 28, 2022 at 07:35 PM

DF

“ *Been freinds of family for a lot of years Happy he's home at last!!
Reiny and Donna Feil*

Donna feil - December 26, 2022 at 09:47 PM